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To: U.S. Citizens, Group Wardens, and Hotels Hosting Citizens

Subject: Warden Message

The American Embassy in Amman, Jordan, wishes to alert Americans to ongoing security concerns in Jordan. U.S. citizens are reminded to maintain a high level of vigilance and to take appropriate steps to increase their security awareness.

The Embassy remains concerned about the continued threat of terrorist attacks against U.S. interests in the Middle East and North Africa, with particular focus on facilities perceived to cater to Westerners. Increased security at official U.S. facilities may lead terrorists to seek softer targets such as public transportation, residential areas, and public areas where people congregate including major tourist sites, places of worship, restaurants, hotels, clubs, shopping areas and transportation facilities. Due to varying degrees of security at all such locations, Americans should be particularly vigilant when visiting these establishments.

Citizens are urged to register and update their contact information on line in advance of travel or at U.S. embassies and consulates. Information on registering may be found at the Department of State's Consular Affairs website: https://travelregistration.state.gov.

The U.S. Embassy in Amman is located on Al-Umayyaween Street, Abdoun, P.O. Box 354. The telephone number is [962](6) 590-6000 and the fax number is [962] (6) 592-4102. The after-hours emergency telephone number is [962] (6) 590-6000.

U.S. citizens should also consult the Department of State's latest Consular Information Sheet for Jordan, Worldwide Caution Public Announcement and the Middle East and North Africa Public Announcement at http://travel.state.gov. Up to date information on security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll free in the United States, or, for callers outside the United States and Canada, a regular toll line at 1-202-501-4444. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays).